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Who do you trust? Narco cops blast federal case

Justice. Lawyers for six police officers charged with robbing drug dealers ridiculed the federal case against them as closing arguments began Tuesday, citing a lack of "corroborating evidence." But prosecutors say 19 witnesses with near-identical stories proves the case. PAGE 04

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Mayoral candidate Doug Oliver makes the rounds at a mixer with a focus on parks and cycling at Llama Tooth on April 27. / CHARLES MOSTOLLER

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The Short Answer: Second chances

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Returning Citizens. There has been a lot of talk about the plight of ex-offenders in Philadelphia. Talk about the importance second chances have had in your life.

"After failing the 5th grade, I received a second chance. My mother through heroic efforts was able enroll me in the Milton Hershey School, a boarding school for disadvantaged children. It was there that I received access to a quality education. That second chance changed my life."

Doug Oliver

"I nearly lost reelection in 2011 after I voted to end the DROP program. The chance to serve again taught me that doing the right thing is always the correct choice even when it's politically difficult."

Jim Kenney

"Philly is a second chance city. Over 300K Philadelphians are ex-offenders who need a way to reconnect with the economy or we will all pay later. I try to lead by example. About a third of my staff in the legislative and campaign offices is made up of hardworking, formerly convicted people."

State Sen. Tony Williams

"As a Judge, I was constantly struck by how close I came to being in a courtroom for all the wrong reasons. I struggled in school, and no one thought I'd ever amount to much. Without support from my community to turn my life around, I wouldn't be here today."

Nelson Diaz

"The late Mayor Rizzo fired me from the Redevelopment Authority for being too honest in my leadership. I thought this would be the end of my career, as it was major news at the time. It turned out to be the best thing that ever happened to me."

Lynne Abraham

Tis the season to begin gardening

Kenneth Record, 62, tends his garden near 51st and Pine in West Philadelphia. Many amateur horticulturists are plowing soil and placing their seeds around the Delaware Valley this week as temperatures settled above 80 degrees, where they'll stay through the weekend. / RANDI FAIR

Environment. Pa. bass had cancer: labs

Two lab tests confirm that a smallmouth bass caught in the lower Susquehanna River last year had an extremely rare, malignant tumor, the Pennsylvania Fish and Boat Commission said.

Officials say it is the only documented case of this type of tumor being found on a bass in the state, but biologists have seen an "alarming rate" of lesions on fish in the Susquehanna, a sign that the health of fish in the river is compromised.

"As we continue to study the river, we find young-of-year and now adult bass with sores, lesions and more recently a cancerous tumor, all of which continue to negatively impact population levels and recreational fishing," PFBC Executive Director John Arway said in a statement. "The weight-of-evidence continues to build a case that we need to take some action on behalf of the fish."

The PFBC has unsuccessfully petitioned state environmental regulators to declare the Susquehanna River an "impacted waterway." Such a designation would force a restoration plan for the river.

"There is no evidence that carcinomas in fish present any health hazard to humans," an official from the Pennsylvania Department of Health said. "However, people should avoid consuming fish that have visible signs of sores and lesions."

The commission has issued advisories urging anglers not to eat several species of fish more than once or twice per month. Small mouth bass are among those species.

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Clockwise from left: Thomas Liciardello, Perry Betts, Norman Linwood, Brian Reynolds, John Speiser and Michael Spicer. / PPD

Cops' lawyers: Fed case absurd

Trial. Claws were out as lawyers began closing arguments in the ongoing corruption trial of six narcotics cops.

The criminal background of several witnesses and a lack of corroborating evidence was loudly attacked by defense lawyers as closing arguments began in the trial of six Philly narcotics officer accused of robbing drug dealers and other members of the public.

Lead defense lawyer Jack McMahon called the federal prosecution against the officers "preposterous," "absurd," and "a tragedy against these men."

McMahon in particular took issue with many witnesses for the federal government who claimed they had massive amounts of money stolen – but there was no evidence the allegedly stolen funds ever existed.

"This is a case where the justice system and the investigation has run amok," McMahon argued.

He mentioned one witness, Kenneth Williams, who claimed the officers stole $14,000 in funds from a worker's comp settlement from his house. McMahon called Williams "a scammer" and said proof of Williams' settlement was never introduced into court.

Jeffrey Walker

Quoted

"They have made judgments before they were facts. They have failed at every level to verify and corroborate the most basic things."

McMahon

Another witness, Theodore Carobine, testified that officers planted 100 grams of meth in his house, then stole $10,000. McMahon questioned that sum, arguing the amount of meth involved would have been worth $30,000.

McMahon pinned all illegal activity on Jeffrey Walker, who was arrested in 2013 after trying to rob an undercover FBI agent and who is a cooperating witness in this case for the federal government.

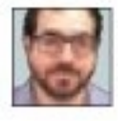
However, prosecutor Maureen McCartney said "common sense, logic and reason" indicated that 19 different witnesses could not have come up with near-identical stories that matched Walker's testimony.

"There are no reasonable explanations for it except that these things happened and these defendants did them," she said.

McCartney also showed text messages that defendant Thomas Liciardello, the alleged ringleader of the group, sent Walker after finding out he had been interviewed by Internal Affairs investigators.

The texts include the message "Die rat," sent nine times in a row and "You are not loyal snitch" sent twice.

"He doesn't call him a liar," McCartney observed. "He calls him a snitch, he calls him a rat, but he never ever says, 'You're not telling the truth.'" [Those] are the words of someone who has something to hide."



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Moms put toddlers at risk on rooftop

NE Philly. After a child was recovered from a third-floor roof with a sibling following, their mother was arrested.

Cleaira Bell / PPD

Philadelphia police have arrested the mother of a 2-year-old boy rescued from the roof of a row home in the Frankford section of the city, along with the mother of a 1-year-old boy whose child was trying to climb out on the roof from a window.

Cleaira Bell, 22, the mother of the 2-year-old, was charged with endangering the welfare of a child and reckless endangerment.

The mother of the 1-year-old is 17. She was not identified by police because she is a juvenile. She faces the same charges.

Police and fire crews were called to the 4700 block of Leiper Street Monday afternoon after neighbors saw a toddler on row house roof.

Police forced entry into the third-floor apartment where they confirmed that the children were home alone.

Both moms arrived home while the police were there. The boys were taken to St. Christopher's Hospital for observation.

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A tradition of spring cleaning

Warren Warner, 64, right, and his companion, Brian Morsberger, 34, pick up trash in their West Philadlephia neighborhood on Tuesday morning. Warner has been beautifying the neighborhood for 13 years by picking up litter, he told Metro. / RANDI FAIR

Hunting Park

SEPTA bus crash sends 13 to hospitals

Twelve passengers and the driver of a SEPTA bus were taken to area hospitals after a morning rush-hour accident.

The Route 16 bus collided with another vehicle at about 9 a.m. at the intersection of North Broad and Bristol Street.

The cause of the accident is under investigation, said SEPTA spokesman Andrew Busch.

Busch said the injuries were minor.

"As far as we know, they've been treated and released," Busch said.

Officials didn't have an official count as to how many people in total were on the bus at the time of the collision.

"That's a pretty busy route, most likely it was a full bus," Busch said.

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In Baltimore, AG pledges to help police reform

New U.S. Attorney General Loretta Lynch on Tuesday met with Baltimore officials and the family of a 25-year-old black man killed by police last month and vowed to help the city pursue police reform.

The meeting in Baltimore came the week after the city's top prosecutor brought criminal charges against the six officers involved in the April 12 arrest of Freddie Gray, who suffered a spinal injury that led to his death a week later.

Gray's death was the latest in a series of police killings of unarmed black men across the United States and provoked weeks of largely peaceful protests punctuated by a day of arson and looting on April 27.

"This is a flash point situation," Lynch told a group of officials after a private meeting with the Gray family. "We lost a young man's life, and it begins to represent so many things."

The Justice Department, she said, will work with the city as it seeks to improve its police department. Prosecutor Marilyn Mosby said last week there had been no legal basis for Gray's arrest, which came after he fled from a police officer after making eye contact. REUTERS

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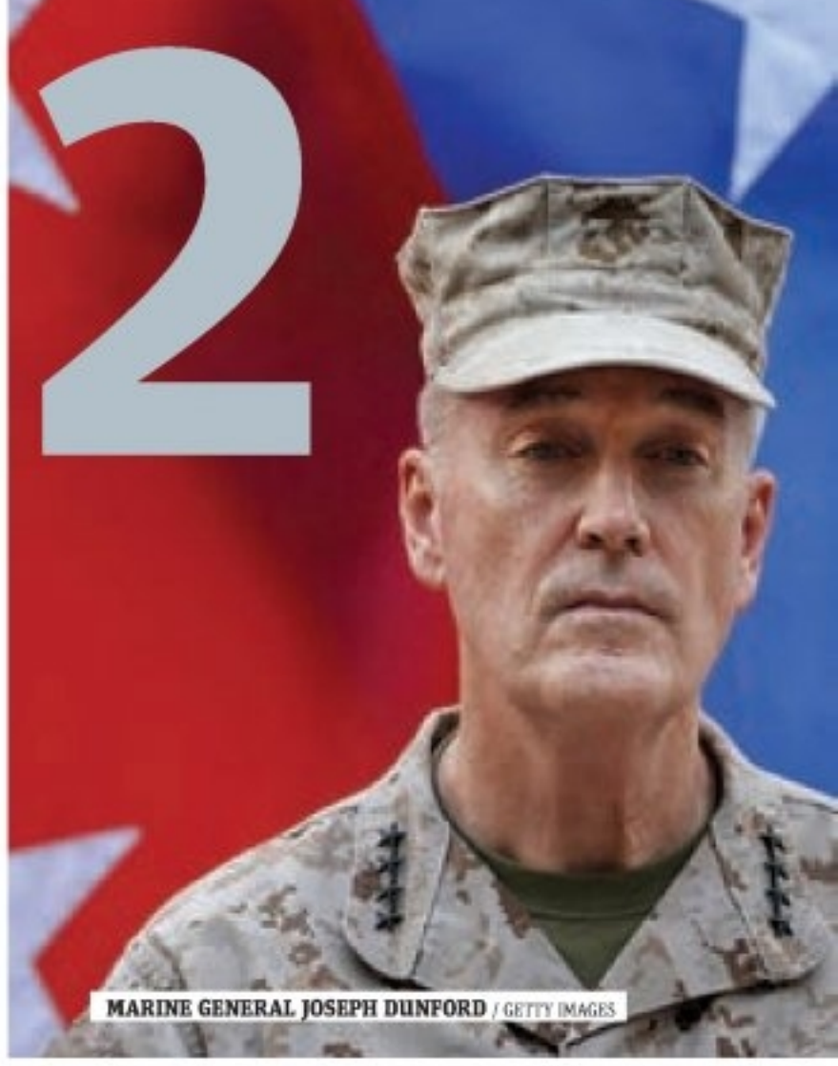
MARINE GENERAL JOSEPH DUNFORD / GETTY IMAGES

Obama nominates new top US military officers

President Barack Obama nominated Marine General Joseph Dunford as the next chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, praising him as a leader who helped shape the changing role of U.S. troops in Afghanistan.

Obama urged the Senate to quickly confirm Dunford and his new pick for vice-chairman, Air

US approves $330M for bird flu outbreak in poultry

The Office of Management and Budget has granted U.S. Agriculture Secretary Tom Vilsack the authority to transfer an additional $330 million in emergency funds for the agency's handling of the quickly spreading avian influenza outbreak.

The funds will be used to cover indemnity claims filed by poultry farmers whose flocks have been infected by the highly pathogenic H5 virus and other issues related to the outbreak, the sources told Reuters. The additional funds will be added to the $84.5 million previously set aside by the USDA for the outbreak.

In Iowa, the top U.S. egg producer, state agriculture officials said an estimated 20 million chickens and turkeys have been affected. REUTERS

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JetBlue and Amazon agree to stream media in-flight

JetBlue and Amazon have agreed to stream television, movies and music from the Internet retailer in-flight, broadening travelers' entertainment options, the companies said Tuesday.

The service will be available on a majority of JetBlue's aircraft this year via the airline's free Wi-Fi so passengers can use their laptops and mobile devices.

Travelers can rent or buy titles from Amazon or stream content at no extra cost if they are Amazon Prime members.

"This is the most comprehensive offering of entertainment content for any airline anywhere in the world," said Henry Harteveldt, a founder of the travel-focused Atmosphere Research Group. He said most competitors don't have Wi-Fi fast enough to support video-streaming and instead rely on fixed media libraries.

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I know Joe. I trust him. He's already proven his ability to give me his unvarnished military advice based on his experience on the ground."
President Obama

Force General Paul Selva. He said he would rely on their advice in the fight against Islamic State militants and "rebalancing" U.S. military posture in the Asia-Pacific region.

Dunford will replace Army General Martin Dempsey, who is expected to step down in September.

Obama said Selva, the commander of the U.S. Transportation Command, was military adviser to then-Secretary of State Hillary Clinton during the early years of his presidency. REUTERS

US probing ISIS claims it was behind Texas attack

U.S. investigators were looking into claims by the Islamic State that it was behind a failed attack on a Texas exhibit of cartoons of the Prophet Muhammad in which two gunmen were killed, but officials said they doubted the group's direct involvement.

Islamic State said on its official online radio station that "two soldiers of the caliphate" carried out the attack.

The White House said it was too early to tell if the gunmen killed were tied to ISIS. Spokesman Josh Earnest said many people tried to capitalize on the influence of the group by claiming allegiance when they were not affiliated.

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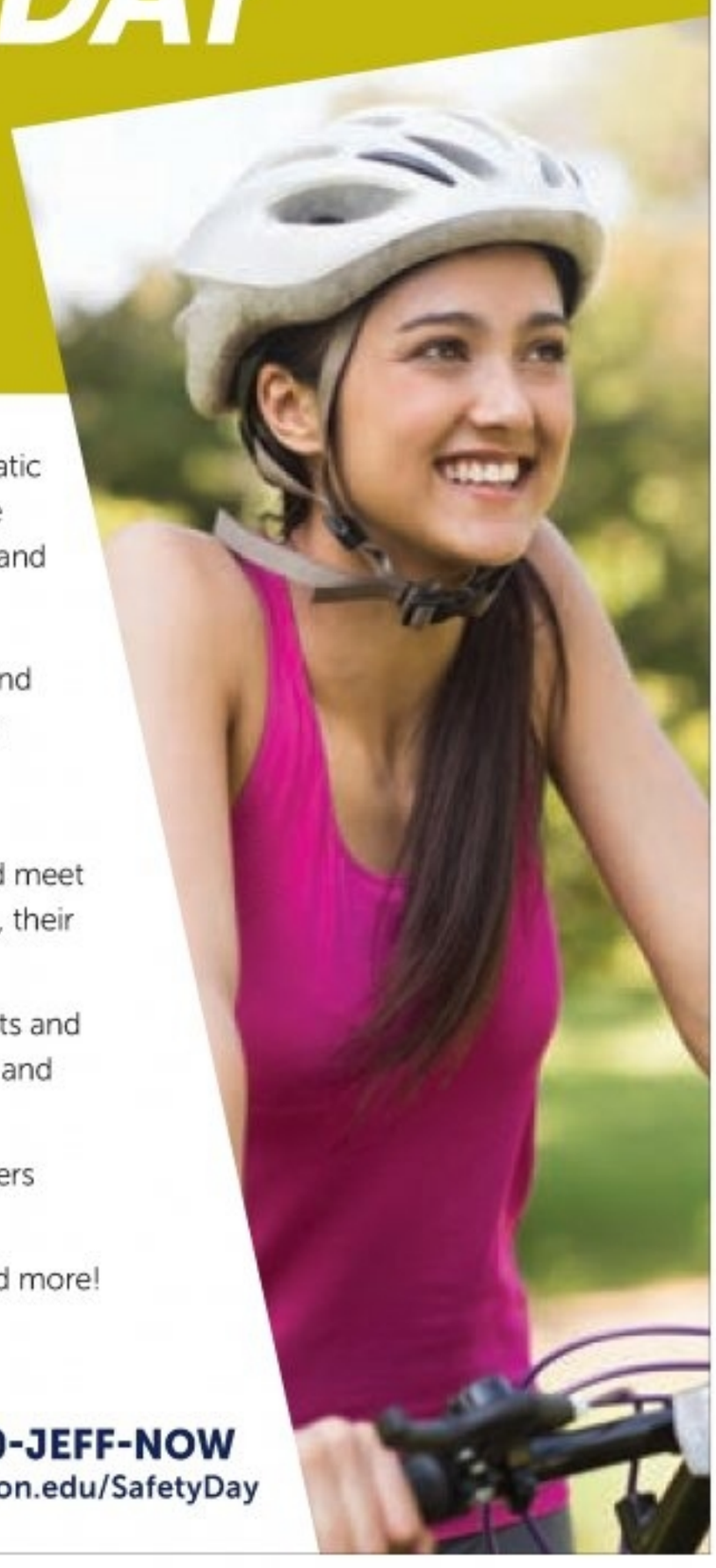

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Bad weather disrupts links to Nepal village hit by earthquake

Village. Rescuers are digging in the snow for signs of about 120 others believed buried.

Bad weather has cut links with a remote village in Nepal where dozens of villagers and trekkers are believed to be buried under an avalanche set off by last month's devastating earthquake, officials said on Tuesday.

The death toll from the April 25 quake in the Himalayan nation has reached 7,566, and over 14,500 people were injured, the government said.

About 100 bodies were recovered on Saturday and Sunday at Langtang village, 37 miles north of Kathmandu, which is on a trekking route popular with Westerners.

Gautam Rimal, assistant chief district officer in the area where Langtang is located, said authorities had not made contact with Langtang for more than 24 hours because of bad weather.

Foreigners

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The dead include at least seven foreigners, but only two had been identified, Gautam Rimal said.

Meanwhile, a row has broken out between Nepal and some international agencies over the handling of aid that poured into the country after the earthquake, with each side blaming the other for confusion and delays in getting help to victims. **REUTERS**

Fight. Pacquiao sued in US court for allegedly not disclosing injury

Floyd Mayweather Jr. exchanges punches with Manny Pacquiao. / GETTY IMAGES

Two people in Nevada filed a lawsuit on Tuesday against Manny Pacquiao, alleging the boxer defrauded ticket buyers, television viewers and gamblers by failing to disclose a pre-bout shoulder injury ahead of his fight against Floyd Mayweather Jr.

The lawsuit was filed in U.S. District Court in Nevada and seeks status as a class action. It asks for all relief allowed by law. **REUTERS**

Transportation

White House approves licenses for Cuba ferry service

The U.S. Treasury Department on Tuesday approved an unknown number of licenses for passenger ferry service between the United States and Cuba, a Treasury Department official told Reuters.

One of the licenses was issued to Baja Ferries, part of a major shipping group with passengers and cargo operations, including on Mexico's west coast, according to a lawyer who handled the license application.

Ferry service between Cuba and the United States was cut off in the early 1960s, following the Cuban revolution that brought Fidel Castro to power. **REUTERS**

OSHA Partners with City of Philadelphia to Prevent Future Demolition Tragedies

Partnering for Worker Protection and Public Safety

In the wake of the 2013 Market Street demolition tragedy, Mayor Michael Nutter and the Philadelphia City Council moved rapidly to institute sweeping, significant changes in the city's demolition standards and building construction code, including strengthening their partnership with OSHA. Dating back to the early 2000's, OSHA and the City of Philadelphia have worked cooperatively, with significant success, to improve construction safety and health. During one such effort, an OSHA Strategic Partnership, the City of Philadelphia, with the support of OSHA's Region III Philadelphia Area Office, worked with small demolition contractors to demolish approximately 3,500 properties. Not one life was lost.

The cooperative commitment between OSHA and the City of Philadelphia has produced a new interagency collaboration with the City's Department of Licenses and Inspections (L+I). It aims to enhance contractor oversight and prevent future catastrophes by employing three distinct strategies:

1. Improved Communications and Referrals

OSHA's Region III Philadelphia Area Office and the City's L+I have developed and implemented a comprehensive inter-agency referral system to address safety and health issues on construction projects throughout the City. L+I inspectors are contacting OSHA when they are at a construction site to identify serious hazards, helping OSHA identify significant cases and track severe violators. OSHA, in turn, is keeping L+I informed when federal inspectors identify hazardous worksites.

"As a result of OSHA's referral-assisted activity and the stop work orders L+I has employed, approximately 170 workers were removed from harm's way. L+I is using the information being gathered to proactively reduce future fatalities."

The data tells an impressive story: Between October 1, 2013 and September 30, 2014, 90-92% of the referrals resulted in OSHA issued citations, with an average of 3.5 violations cited per inspection. As a result of OSHA's referral-assisted activity and the stop work orders L+I has employed, approximately 170 workers were removed from harm's way. L+I is using the information being gathered to proactively reduce future fatalities.

2. Focused Training and Cross-Training

In order to enhance hazard awareness for Philadelphia's building inspection supervisors and field inspectors, OSHA and L+I worked together to develop an impressive training plan. City inspectors are getting regular training, taught by OSHA Area Office and Regional safety and health professionals, to help them better understand, recognize, and prevent demolition hazards as well as general construction hazards.

With quarterly training continuing, and L+I choosing topics that will address the needs of experienced as well as new inspectors, city employees are now better able to protect themselves during construction inspections, and also protect the construction workers and general public they serve.

3. Annual Reporting System

OSHA's Philadelphia Area Office and the City's L+I have agreed to generate an annual report, with input from both partners, which will encompass the activities and achievements of the collaborative relationship. The report will include hard data reflecting the numbers of interactions and the results of inter-agency enforcement activities.

Replicating the OSHA-City of Philadelphia partnership is a high priority, because Philadelphia is not unique. In aging cities and smaller communities across the United States, thousands of imminently dangerous older buildings and other structures pose serious hazards to workers and the public.

To read the full article and learn more, visit: https://www.osha.gov/doc/philadelphia_partnership.html
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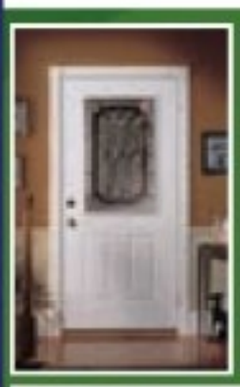

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Republican Mike Huckabee announces 2016 presidential bid

Policies. He would change approach on ISIS threat from attempting to contain it to conquering it instead.

Mike Huckabee / GETTY IMAGES

Republican Mike Huckabee entered the race for his party's 2016 presidential nomination on Tuesday, looking to break out from an ever-widening field by drawing on the support of social conservatives attuned to his culture-warrior message.

In a speech filled with fiery rhetoric, Huckabee, a former governor of Arkansas, said if elected, he would change government policies to focus more on the economic plight of middle-class Americans.

Huckabee vowed strong U.S. support for Israel and took a dim view of negotiations aimed at deterring Iran from developing a nuclear weapon.

"Hell will freeze over" before Iran gets a nuclear weapon, he added.

A former Baptist pastor and unabashed culture warrior, he entered the Republican field facing competition for the support of social conservatives who backed him in 2008.

Huckabee spoke of his life in Arkansas, recalling daily prayers, fishing and hunting.

He met his wife at the high school they attended.

The candidate said hardworking Americans are being left behind in today's economy and blamed President Barack Obama for U.S. economic woes. REUTERS

Republicans

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Huckabee, 59, a former host of a popular Fox News Channel program, became the sixth Republican to make a formal White House bid. He made his announcement in Hope, the small Arkansas town that he and Democrat Bill Clinton claim as their hometown.

2016. Bill Clinton digs in as money questions bedevil Hillary's run

If Hillary Clinton has a Bill Clinton problem, Bill Clinton does not seem to see it.

The former president's insistence on Monday that he would continue to give paid speeches for six-figure sums and remain his family's foundation chief ambassador and fund-raiser seem likely to ensure that questions surrounding the foundation and, in turn, Bill and Hillary Clinton's finances will plague the latter's presidential campaign for the foreseeable future.

"I don't think I did anything that was against the interests of the United States," a defiant Bill Clinton said in an interview with NBC News. "I'm not responsible for anybody else's perception."

But upon hearing Clinton's remarks, one prominent philanthropy expert said allegations that foreign donors to the foundation sought to curry favor with the U.S. State Department during Hillary Clinton's tenure as secretary were damaging her campaign for the November 2016 presidential election.

Doug White, who runs the fundraising management program at Columbia University in New York, said Bill Clinton should distance himself from the foundation right away.

Bill Clinton / GETTY IMAGES

"I don't believe he should stay on the board of directors because of a real conflict of interest," White said. Until he does, Hillary Clinton "is in a very precarious position." REUTERS

WWII missing paintings returned

Five paintings that will be returned to Germany in cooperation with the Monuments Men Foundation, during a ceremony at the State Department in Washington, DC. / GETTY IMAGES

Movie. A special hot line set up after the film 'The Monuments Men' helped recover the paintings.

Five paintings missing since World War II are being returned to Germany from the United States so that they can be given back to their rightful owners, the State Department and Monuments Men Foundation said on Tuesday.

The foundation, which aims to return art works missing since the war, said the move came at the behest of the families of those who acquired the art.

"The paintings ... represent an important part of Germany's cultural heritage. They have a long history," Victoria Nuland, Assistant Secretary of State for European affairs, told reporters. "Both sets disappeared at the end of the war and resurfaced in the United States."

Three of the paintings, which originated from an art gallery in the Germany city of Dessau, were won by an American soldier in a poker game, who later mailed them to his wife.

The works, by Frans Francken III, Christian Wilhelm Ernst Dietrich and Franz de Paula Ferg, had been hidden in a potassium mine for safekeeping during the war, according to the foundation.

The two other paintings, which once belonged to Queen Victoria's daughter Princess Victoria, came from a castle near Frankfurt, which was confiscated by U.S. forces and converted into an officers' club.

Those works, which include a portrait of Princess Victoria as a child being held by her mother, were bought in 1945 by a woman who served as a librarian for the U.S. Special Services. **REUTERS**

Texas. High school teaches abstinence, 20 kids get chlamydia

Nearly 7 percent of students at Crane High School in Crane, Texas, have chlamydia. Compare that to the county's 0.26 percent rate of chlamydia in 2013.

The Crane Independent School District sent letters to parents about the outbreak to warn parents of juniors and seniors of the risk of infection. The Texas Department of State Health services informed Crane and Upton County officials after seeing the alarming numbers.

What kind of sex education is taught in Crane County schools?

Abstinence.

Cases of chlamydia

20

The high school has 300 students, and the student body has 20 cases.

Crane High School has three days of sex education in the fall and encourages abstinence. The school district's superintendent Jim T. Rumage defended the approach, saying that abstinence is an effective way to prevent chlamydia.

"If kids are not having any sexual activity, they can't get this disease," he said. "That's not a bad program." **ANDREA PARK, METRO**

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Middle-class parents struggle to save for college

Sad stats. A new study shows the hardships of paying for school.

Scholarships and grants only cover about one-third of college costs, according to Sallie Mae's survey.
ISTOCK

Average amounts saved for college have fallen 25 percent since last year, and fewer middle-income families are saving for higher education, even as parents overwhelmingly endorse its value as an investment, according to "How America Saves for College 2015," the latest survey by education lender Sallie Mae.

Parents had an average $10,040 set aside for college earlier this year, compared to $13,408 last year, the survey found. "The biggest reason for the decrease in savings is the increase in the cost of living and having unexpected expenses come up," says Michael Gross, head of the higher education practice at market research company Ipsos, which conducted the survey for Sallie Mae.

Quoted

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Michael Gross, Ipsos

Ipsos interviewed 1,988 parents of children under 18 for the survey between Jan. 14 and Jan. 28.

Roughly half of all parents are saving for college, but among families with incomes between $35,000 and $100,000, the rate fell to 46 percent this year from 51 percent last year, the survey found.

Still, nine out of 10 parents believe that college is an investment in their children's future, with 84 percent believing their children will earn more money with that education, and 78 percent believing that a college degree is more important than in the past.

General savings accounts continued to be the most widely used vehicle for college funds with 48 percent of savers using them, followed by 27 percent who used tax-advantaged 529 college savings accounts and 23 percent using money saved in checking accounts.

Parents who don't save also tend to overestimate how much financial aid their children will receive. Nearly two-thirds of those who don't save said it was because they believed their child would get enough financial aid or scholarship help to cover college costs. Scholarships and grants typically cover about one-third of the total average cost of college, according to a corollary Sallie Mae study, "How America Pays for College 2014."

Just the act of creating a plan for college savings seems to boost the odds of success, said Martha Holler, a Sallie Mae representative. Families who formulated a plan for college savings saved 46 percent more than families without one, the 2015 Saving for College survey found.

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46%

Forty-six percent of families with an income between $35,000 and $100,000 are saving for their child's college, compared to 51 percent last year.

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Today, Sarah Silverman understands how the world works, Judd Apatow is not emotionally prepared, Kevin Hart is not in control, Patton Oswalt is living the life.

@SarahKSilverman: Sometimes you just need something to regret and that's why God invented bangs

@JuddApatow: The President saying goodbye to Letterman made me cry. It's gonna be a brutal final few weeks of the show.

@KevinHart4real: When you need sleep your body will make it happen POINT BLANK

@pattonoswalt: Um, someone sent me #StarWarsCereal? What is happening?

1

Met Gala: Katy Perry and John Mayer pack on the PDA

So I guess we're officially back into the on-again swing of Katy Perry and John Mayer's epic, years-long, on-again, off-again romance? Because they were the talk of the Met Gala after-party circuit after they were spotted locking lips, holding hands and generally canoodling at a soiree at the Boom Boom Room, according to Us Weekly. (Also, I'm sure it's a fun place and all, but that really just sounds like toddler code for the bathroom.) So if you, like me, have a fancy, two-sided Perry-Mayer sign on your fridge — kind of like a "clean or dirty" button for the dishwasher — kindly flip it to "on," because they're totally on.

Speaking of on-again, off-again romance, relations between Justin Bieber and ex Selena Gomez appeared to warm, as the two were seen acting civil toward one another at Rihanna's after-party, where they "exchanged some words," according to E! News.

And while he even told the paparazzi that "Selena looked gorgeous" on his way out, the Biebs was apparently more focused on making an impression on the fashion world. So, you know, be afraid of that. "It meant so much to Justin," a source says of his attending the Gala. "It was definitely his entrance into fashion. He was honored and happy the whole time." Wow, the whole time? Impressive.

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Ned Ehrbar takes on the world of gossip.

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2

Ryan Gosling finally eats his cereal

Ryan Gosling isn't necessarily a fan of the myriad Internet memes devoted to him, but the guy's not made of stone, OK? When he got word that Ryan McHenry, the Vine user who popularized the bizarre "Ryan Gosling won't eat his cereal" videos, had passed away this week after a two-year battle with cancer, Gosling sprung into action, posting his own Vine featuring him finally — finally! — eating some cereal. "My heart goes out to all of Ryan McHenry's family and friends," Gosling tweeted. "Feel very lucky to have been a part of his life in some small way."

RYAN GOSLING, VINE

Now if we could only get him to lighten up on the "hey girl" stuff.

3

Miley Cyrus knows how to launch a charity

Miley Cyrus is bringing back her fun "Backyard Sessions" music performance series but this time with a purpose. The "Wrecking Ball" singer just launched the Happy Hippie Foundation, a nonprofit dedicated to supporting at-risk LGBT and homeless youth. She kicks things off by dueting with none other than Joan Jett on a rendition of Joan Jett and the Blackhearts' "Different," and further duets feature Ariana Grande, Melanie Safka and Against Me!'s Laura Jane Grace. "I want to use my voice as a megaphone to young people everywhere and encourage human evolution," Cyrus says. "No one should have to hide who they really are, no matter what his or her name, gender or status. That's why Happy Hippies are here to say that every life is valuable." There's no joke here. I just think she's doing something awesome.

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Now that plans for **Comcast**'s $45 billion merger with **Time Warner Cable** have been scrapped, what's next? Insider dirt has the cable giant starting a short-form video service to compete with **YouTube** and a subscription fee-based multichannel video programming distributor

James Welch, "Good Day Philadelphia" co-host Alex Holley and CBS 3's Jim Donovan strolled the South Street Spring Festival. / KORY AVERSA

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by September. Knowing that Comcast's **Brian Roberts** loves acquisitions, rumor has it the CEO — who already owns **NBCUniversal** — is looking into buying **MGM** or **Paramount** studios.

Closer to home, Comcast's Executive VP **David L. Cohen** will be honored during the **Philadelphia Theater Company**'s 40th anniversary gala on May 8 at the Hyatt at The Bellevue.

Chef **Marcie Turney** and **Valerie Safran**'s next restaurant, **Bud & Marilyn's**, a retro comfort food eatery at 13th and Locust, is almost ready to go, in terms of interior design and menu. What's the holdup? Turney's brother **Evan**, chef/owner of **Varga**, is getting married in Mexico next month, and the family is heading there for the celebration. Turney hinted that the restaurant would open in early August. That's one long wedding after-party.

Hotel Palomar's bar/restaurant **Square 1682** launches patio seating today with new food and cocktail menus for spring.

With over 55,000 attendees, the **South Street Spring Festival** on Saturday was the largest single event on that block in two decades.

Seen on the scene

- The hotly anticipated arrival of **Big Gay Ice Cream** in Philadelphia came one day earlier than planned, with the sweet shop opening April 30 on South Broad. Big Gay owners **Bryan Petroff** and **Douglas Quint** were welcomed by their neighbor, Chef **Kevin Sbraga**, at his Juniper Commons, with a happy hour party and book-signing event for "Big Gay Ice Cream: Saucy Stories & Frozen Treats."

Big Gay Ice Cream co-owner Bryan Petroff posed in front of his new shop for Ben Fileccia of neighbor Juniper Commons. / BEN FILECCIA

- **Raw** co-owner **Tony Rim** was all smiles at the **Rittenhouse Square Spring Festival** despite a lawsuit from **Benihana** claiming Raw is infringing on its trademarks.

- Porn actress **Teagan Presley** ate at **Geno's** on Thursday and donated DVDs for May 17's charity raffle at **Flyers Skate Zone** to benefit the families of police officer **Rob Wilson III** and firefighter **Joyce Craig**.

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Dude Perfect bros slam-dunk their way to fame on YouTube

Q&A. Tyler Toney talks about the rise of the Dudes.

The story of Dude Perfect starts with a few college bros, hanging out and shooting some hoops — nothing extraordinary about that. But when the five Dudes posted a video of themselves doing trick shots to YouTube, their lives completely changed. We talked to one of the members, Tyler Toney, about their rise to success.

How did Dude Perfect get started?
It was six years ago when we were all roommates at Texas A&M. I told Garrett [Hilbert] if I made [a basketball] shot in the backyard, he had to buy me a sandwich. I [made it], he bought my sandwich and we came back, and all the other guys tried to make the shot. After two days of doing that, we had our very first video and "Good Morning America" called and wanted to air it on TV.

What's been your most surreal moment while working on Dude Perfect?
Going to the ESPY Awards was pretty incredible. That was a crazy experience, getting to be on the red carpet and interact with celebrities and athletes. That was really a once-in-a-lifetime thing and the first time we got access to the media and athletes.

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special guests on Dude Perfect. Who were your favorites?
Personally, I'm a big fan of country music, so working with Tim McGraw was really cool — I grew up listening to him. Coach Carroll [of the Seattle Seahawks] and Rob Dyrdek of "Fantasy Factory" were really cool.

When you started the channel, did you ever think you'd be working with celebrities?
We did our first brand deal one-and-a-half years into Dude Perfect, and since then, almost every video we do now is a branded athlete or celebrity video — and we're not the ones reaching out to these guys. It's really cool to be in that position where not just regular fans and viewers like what we're doing, but athletes and celebrities like it, too.

It sounds like you and your friends have a lot of fun.
We don't take ourselves too seriously, and that's one reason people are drawn to our types of videos. We're just a couple of five average, athletic guys, and we don't try to act like we're anything else, so I think people can really relate to that.

Be sure to read Metro next week to catch Dude Perfect's column on how to have fun at work.

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Carey Mulligan is a modern woman

Interview. The actress likes that Thomas Hardy's "Far from the Madding Crowd" is feminist even for today.

Carey Mulligan says she wasn't really looking to do another period drama when "Far from the Madding Crowd" came along. But the role of Bathsheba Everdene — a headstrong woman juggling three suitors — was too good to turn down. The actress talks about how this Thomas Hardy adaptation was different and whether she'd ever do something bigger and splashier.

The uniqueness of Bathsheba Everdene:

"What I was so excited about was that it's a story that started with a woman who turned down a proposal of marriage. And a good one. It's a young woman in one of the Victorian classics that doesn't start her story looking to be married and isn't looking to be defined by a man. It really hasn't crossed her mind that she would be married. That was so exciting. That was obviously not the viewpoint of most women of the time."

Working with others:

"When you get to work with actors like this, there's a certain security — especially when you make an idiot of yourself in the first week, which is what I did." She also found director Thomas Vinterberg a great help. "We had so many extensive, long conversations going around and around on things. And Thomas said things over and over and over again. I was really annoying. By the time we were on set, we were set on an idea."

Carey Mulligan's Bathsheba Everdene is just not that into Michael Sheen in "Far from the Madding Crowd." / FOX SEARCHLIGHT

On the costumes:

"We wanted to feel like real people and not actors wearing outfits, not people wearing makeup — but still vaguely attractive in daylight. We never wanted it to feel like a buttoned-up costume drama where people wear outfits and look uncomfortable. ... The way Thomas shoots, it's all about performances. The era is reflected in the costumes. The makeup and the hair, because we were outside all the time, could get ruined immediately. It had to be endurable and functional. But they always made us look good, which was a bonus."

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One more thing

Action star

On the idea of ever taking an action movie role, she says: "Never say never to anything. The decisions I've made over the last couple years have been driven by the characters and the scripts and the directors. ... I'm always drawn to really strong characters but also characters that have a lot to them. I'm not really interested in playing two-dimensional people.

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Sarah Tomlinson's dizzying father-daughter dance

Memoir.
In "Good Girl," Sarah Tomlinson explores her roller-coaster relationship with her mostly absent father.

Sarah Tomlinson says writing the memoir was a healing process. / PROVIDED

From the outside, Sarah Tomlinson had a picturesque childhood. She grew up with her mom, stepfather and little brother in a cooperative community on 100 acres of land. Still, she longed to know her birth father, whom her mother divorced because of his compulsive gambling. Tomlinson tells us about their eventual, complicated relationship.

Having it all, yet wanting more

Her father's visits were few and far between, usually occurring once a year but sometimes as rarely as every other year. "I thought of him like a rock star, and his visits were the best of my life," she says. "So even though I had this beautiful childhood, it was really painful because I missed my dad. Kids don't have the conception to understand addiction or to understand some of the setbacks that might keep an adult from being a good parent."

Bad boyfriends and booze

In her 20s, Tomlinson says the relationships she had with men echoed her relationship with her father. "I dated touring musicians who were away and then in town for a night, and we'd have this amazing connection. It was actually very comfortable for me to miss people."

She also started drinking — a lot — which she says in part was to add heightened drama to otherwise lackluster experiences. It wasn't until that realization and undergoing therapy that she became content with quiet nights at home.

Inspiring others

Tomlinson hopes her story will provide solace to others who are still unpacking their own complicated relationships. "I think sometimes people who have a troubled childhood but not a 'bad' childhood feel a little bit guilty about that. It's OK to have a painful experience that from the outside doesn't look 'that bad.'"

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Children learn the feminist ABCs in 'rad' new alphabet book

Story time. A new children's book exposes boys and girls to important women in history they otherwise might not learn about.

"Rad American Women A-Z" is more than just an average kids' alphabet book: A is for Angela Davis, P is for Patti Smith and S is for Sonia Sotomayor. The groundbreaking children's book contains stories of history's most radical women — stories that are not often taught to young children. We spoke with author Kate Schatz about the book, which has become an overnight success; it has sold out of its first two print runs, and a third run is on its way.

Why is it important for young girls and boys to read "Rad American Women" and books like it?
It's obviously super important for girls to have strong role models, but it's totally important for boys to have strong female role models as well. If they don't grow up respecting women, admiring women and seeing women in strong positions of power and success, then that doesn't change our misogynistic culture at all.

What do you say to people who think the book is only for girls?
When people have been skeptical about whether boys can relate to the book, my response is, "Why would we expect young boys to relate more to George Washington than to Sonia Sotomayor?" I think kids can relate to [these women] way more than they can to these abstract, ancient heroes that we just assume all kids will be interested in.

Were there any women you wanted to include in the book but didn't have room for?
Yes, thousands and thousands of them. These are really just a jumping off point, these 26. For a lot of the letters we had just a huge list that we were deciding on, and we kind of had to whittle it down over time.

Your book includes women from many different groups and backgrounds. Are there any trans women included in the book?
Yeah! K is for Kate Bornstein, who is a really wonderful trans activist and playwright and writer. She wrote "My Gender Workbook," and some really great texts that are used in a lot of women's studies classes. I don't make a huge deal about it. I don't say, "This is really controversial." I just say, "She was born with a boy's body, but she always felt like a girl, and now she lives as a woman, and that's that." And it's fun. And kids are just like, "OK, cool!"

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"I keep rediscovering how excited I am about all these women as I read them," author Kate Schatz says about her favorite women featured in the book. /PROVIDED

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Dress up an inexpensive couch

No one will know your couch is from Ikea if you drape a handira, a Moroccan wedding blanket, over it, Blakeney says. Once again, she hits up eBay to score an authentic one for a fraction of the cost.

home

Love where you live

Home how to:

Bohemian on a budget

Four tips on curating a well-traveled home for cheap

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Creating a home rich in texture and color doesn't mean you have to wait around for one of the chic Tibetan boutiques in your neighborhood to have a sidewalk sale. "The key to bohemian style is a layered and collected home that reflects your own personality," says Justina Blakeney, author of the beautiful new coffee-table book "The New Bohemians." "The heart of a bohemian home is creativity," she says. With that in mind, we called her for some tips on how to create a boho home without going broke.

Give what you have new life

Blakeney says the easiest way to make your flea market find look like it was imported from Morocco is to paint it, and her big tip for going boho is to go bold. "People get scared to make a bold paint choice because they're scared they'll hate it. But if you hate it, you can just paint it a different color. It's not a permanent thing," she says. "I have a dresser I bought for $100 at this place called Junk in Brooklyn, and I've painted it, like, five different colors."

Shop secondhand

The couches and beds featured in "The New Bohemians" are all layered with beautiful, brightly patterned pillows. Blakeney says she scored most of hers on eBay. "Instead of paying $80 for a pillow from a New York boutique, I'll pay $15 for one I find on eBay," she says, adding that the best search terms to use are "kilim pillows" or "Berber Moroccan pillows."

Accent with potted plants

Instead of spending a fortune on freshly cut flowers, Blakeney says to figure out what type of potted plants will thrive in your apartment. "I included a plantipedia in the back of the book to bust the green thumb/brown thumb myth," she says. "You just need the information about what type of plants thrive in the environment you have at home, how often you should water it, and then just follow through."

To her, a plant trailing down a tall bookshelf or a beautiful palm arching in the corner is a staple to bohemian living and provides a figurative and literal breath of fresh air. "Everything around us is computers and cars. Even at home, we have all these machines, metal and cement. We need to balance out urban living with plants," she says.

Save time and money — and still feed your baby homemade food. ISTOCK

Making homemade baby food just got easier

Skip store-bought grub with these simple tips.

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Whipping up homemade baby food doesn't have to be a time-consuming, cumbersome affair — especially if you follow these expert tips. Natalie Monson, a registered dietitian, mother of three and owner of Super Healthy Kids, offers up her favorite hacks.

You don't need fancy equipment

New culinary trends often bring about high-tech gadgets and gizmos designed to make the job easier.

Don't get us wrong; the Baby Bullet probably does make amazing baby food. But if you'd like to save some counter space (and $60), you can likely get by on equipment you already have.

"I have a Blendtec that came with twister jars that are great for making baby food," says Monson. "And once you start getting into the meats and more mixed foods, a food processor also works really well."

You can also smash up fruit or steamed veggies either by hand or with regular utensils. For example, a fork is the perfect tool for mushing up a ripe banana, which can then be hand-fed to your little one.

Don't bother with two meals

"A lot of times, parents think they have to make something totally separate for their baby, but once they're eight or nine months, they can really eat mostly what you're eating — just in a softer form," says Monson.

To prevent meats from tasting dry, she advises mixing them with fruits and veggies like sweet potatoes, apples or pears. This will sweeten up the taste while adding some much-needed moisture to the meal.

Invest in the basics

Stroll down the baby aisle at any grocery store, and you'll see rows and rows of little squeeze-pouches of premade baby food. This trend has picked up major steam over the last few years, and with good reason—they're quick, easy and convenient.

They can also be a bit pricey. Fortunately, parents can now buy reusable squeeze-pouches for their homemade food. Monson particularly likes the Little Green Pouch brand.

"On the bottom, it's like a Ziploc that you can open to put the food in, and it zips tight so it doesn't leak," she says. "You just unscrew the cap and squeeze the food out." She adds that you can also make food in batches and then freeze it in the reusable pouches. Since they defrost so quickly, they make for a great grab-and-go option.

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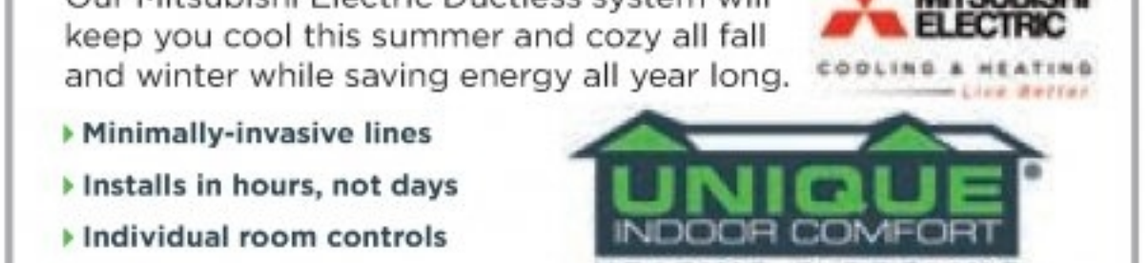

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North versus South

We stack up apartment options on Philly's most iconic street.

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Broad Street has been showing more life than ever in recent years, as development continues to stretch north and south. Both directions have become increasingly popular with renters, as options pop up all along the bustling thoroughfare.

Here's how two amenity-filled buildings — one on each side of City Hall — compare.

Southstar Lofts

521 S. Broad St.

Live
Southstar Lofts is still shiny and new — its 85 units celebrate their first birthday this month. Those units rent for $1,600 to $3,400, and offer oversized windows and modern amenities, including developer Carl Dranoff's pre-Indego bike share program.

Eat
Juniper Commons, the newest restaurant from Kevin Sbraga, sits on Southstar's ground floor; it's one of many nearby options that skew upscale (think Tashan, Serpico and Volver). For more casual eats, the building also contains a pizza shop and a brand new outpost of New York-based Big Gay Ice Cream.

The building itself is notable for its green roof, LEED Silver certification, and the "Light Play" installation that casts rays of color on its Broad Street facade.

Play
Southstar is literally in the shadow of The Kimmel Center, and in the midst of many other arts and shopping options. The South Street location also puts residents close to several bars and restaurants.

Lofts 640

640 N. Broad St.

Live
Lofts 640 has stood the test of time: It's been around for a decade. The 265 units range from $1,450 to $2,600, and building amenities include a yoga studio, a sun deck and a rooftop pool, designed to make it feel like a haven within the city.

Eat
Residents live above the area's most acclaimed restaurant, Osteria, and adjacent to the more casual Alla Spina, both from Marc Vetri. The Food Trust hosts a farmers market directly across Broad in the warmer months. While other great dining options — like 13th Street's Bufad Pizza and Cafe Lift — aren't far, they aren't that close, either.

Play
The vibe up here is smaller home and quieter streets — some of which, at times, can border on feeling desolate. Residents don't have as much at their doorstep, but there's plenty within walking distance, like the edgy galleries and music venues of Callowhill, or the family-friendly blocks of Fairmount/the Art Museum.

Residents at Lofts 640 live upstairs from Marc Vetri's Osteria.

Horoscope

♉ Taurus | April 21-May 21
Stop procrastinating. You need to secure your position. Go over documents with a professional who can guide you

♊ Gemini | May 22-June 20
You will have problems meeting your deadlines. If you need help, ask. If you are grateful, you will gain popularity.

♋ Cancer | June 21-July 22
Doing something that you enjoy can also put money in your pocket. You won't be considered for a promotion unless you flaunt what you have to offer.

♌ Leo | July 23-Aug. 22
Positive change is on the horizon. Insight from a trip or an enlightening seminar will form the basis for personal change. .

♍ Virgo | Aug. 23-Sept. 22
Discussions with friends or family will become volatile if you are too demanding. Be agreeable and let everyone have a say.

♎ Libra | Sept. 23-Oct. 22
Pamper yourself. You deserve some downtime, so don't let anyone interfere with your personal indulgences. A day of rest will ease your stress.

♏ Scorpio | Oct. 23-Nov. 21
Check out other alternatives if your career is not progressing as you had hoped. Job search sites can provide a variety of alternatives.

♐ Sagittarius | Nov. 22-Dec. 21
Be firm if you are confronted by someone who wants you to compromise your values or reputation. Trust your intuition.

♑ Capricorn | Dec. 22-Jan. 20
Strive to maintain a positive attitude. You may not be able to control a situation, but that's no reason to give up. Accept the inevitable.

♒ Aquarius | Jan. 21-Feb. 18
Making a difference for others will bring about a change in you. Get involved in a group that gives aid to those less fortunate.

♓ Pisces | Feb. 19-March 20
Stay out of the spotlight. You will learn more if you sit on the sidelines and observe what those around you are doing.

♈ Aries | March 21-April 20
You have everything you need to get ahead. Forming a partnership with someone looks favorable. A home-based business has potential. EUGENIA LAST

Sudoku: Easy and hard

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Letters to the editor

It's good to be a cow

Re: 'Don't have a cow' (Metro, May 4) I don't know where the letter writer got his information, but clearly he hasn't been to the same farms I've been to. Most small farmers (NOT corporations) treat their cows very well. They are fed in the morning and milked. Then they are turned out into a pasture all day, where they can eat, chew cud and socialize. In the evening, they are fed and milked again. It's a pretty good life for a cow. The farms I have been to keep a bull, so the cows can breed when they like. The cows are named. They are vaccinated whenever necessary. The calves are not taken from mom at birth; instead, they are kept together and weaned when appropriate. Then they are given a formula just like human babies. I've never seen a cow chained to a floor, not allowed outside and otherwise treated badly. Farmers make their living by selling the milk their cows produce. Unhappy or ill-treated cows do not produce, so it is in the farmer's best interest to treat them as humanely as possible.
SUE EARLEY, VIA EMAIL

Attacking the way livestock is raised with incendiary misinformation is not only manipulative of concerned consumers, it is downright hurtful to farmers. It breaks my heart seeing my childhood memories on my family's dairy farm degraded to the point of "cruelty." DOUG S., VIA EMAIL

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34 "Damn Yankees" vamp
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37 Still
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40 Novelist — Ambler
42 Colony members
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50 Pinch, in a way
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54 Mining marble
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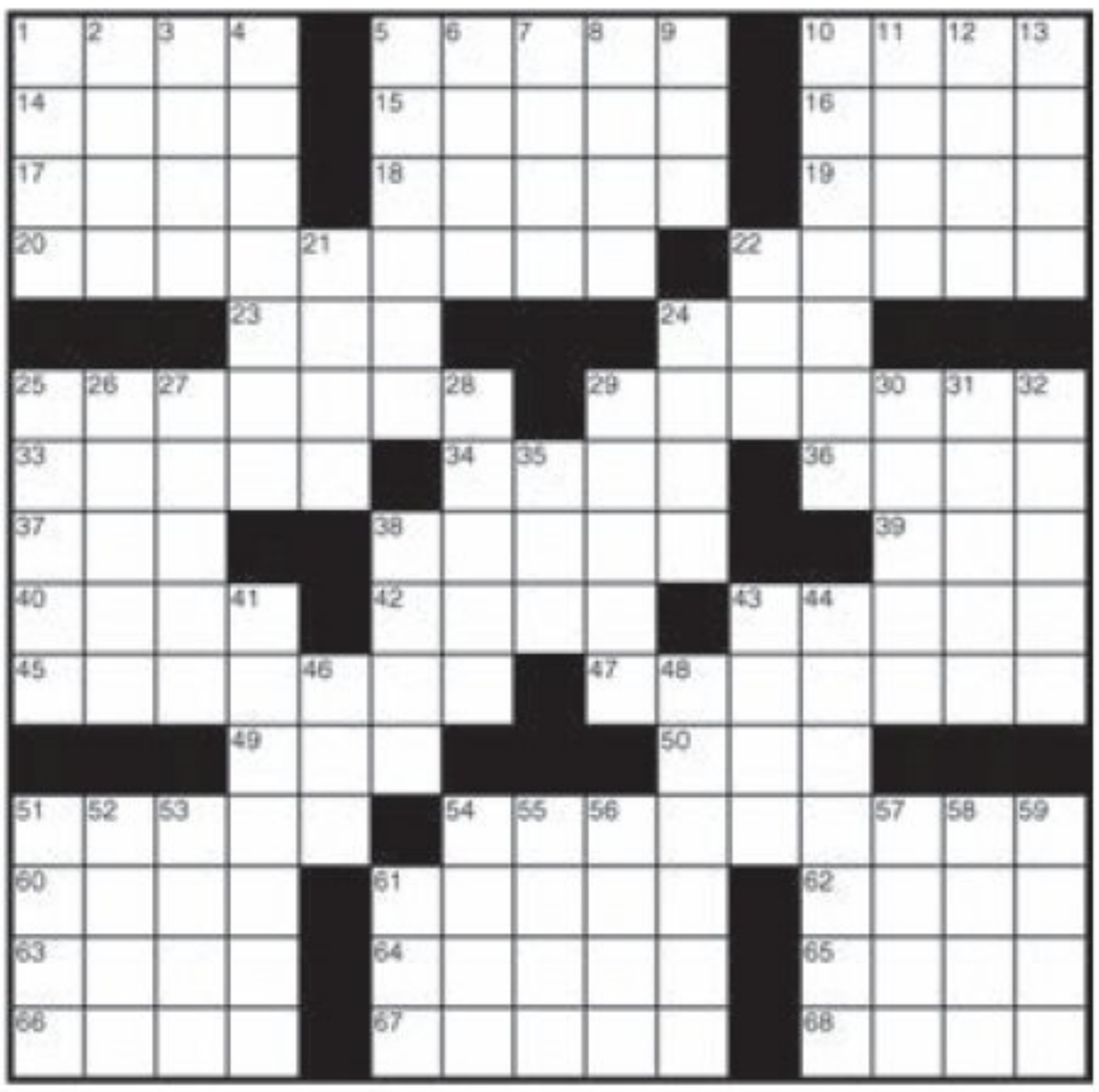

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NFL Draft

NFL teams not meeting Collins

Perhaps the best offensive lineman in this year's NFL eligible draft class, La'el Collins' agent said the LSU tackle won't be meeting with NFL teams. Baton Rouge Police gave the NFL red flags when they asked to interview him about the shooting death of a pregnant woman.

The Best No. 7 picks

NHL The Flyers can draft an impact player with their No.7 overall selection in June.

The Philadelphia Flyers didn't win the draft lottery for the No. 1 pick and won't be able to select expected phenom Connor McDavid. However, thanks to a dismal season they still get to pick at No. 7 in what is being hailed as a deep draft.

And there have been some marquee players taken with the seventh pick in the last two decades.

With the draft still more than a month away, here's a look back at the top seven players taken at No. 7.

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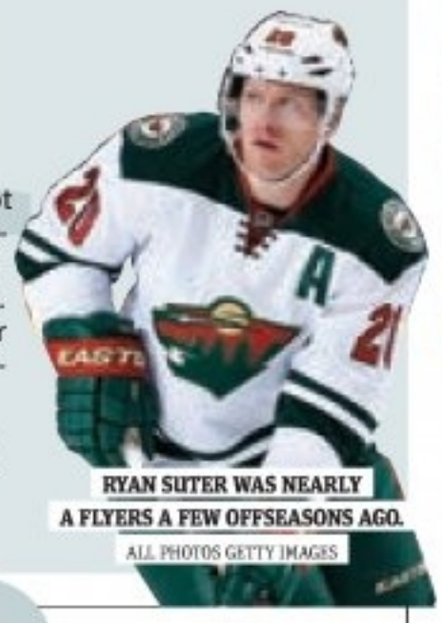
1 Ryan Suter, Nashville (2003)

The best pick at this spot in the past 20 years, Suter is one of the best defenseman in the league. Signed by the Wild after the 2011-12 season, Suter is a shutdown and puck-carrying defenseman who has averaged nearly 40 points a season.



RYAN SUTER WAS NEARLY A FLYERS A FEW OFFSEASONS AGO.

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2 Kyle Okposo, NY Islanders (2006)

Although he was dropped from the first line to the second line this season, Okposo has been a consistent mid-20 goal scorer for the Isles three of the last four years. Playing alongside John Tavares in 2013-14, he set career highs in goals (27) and assists (42)

and still produced 18 goals and 33 assists in just 60 games this year.

3 Jakub Voracek, Columbus (2007)

The right-winger finally put it all together and blossomed into one of the most skilled players in the NHL this season with the Flyers. Playing on the first line with Claude Giroux, Voracek finished tied for fourth in the NHL in scoring, second in assists and was named team MVP.

Voracek had a breakout season for the Flyers in 2014-15.

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Shane Doan, Winnipeg (1995)

Playing in relative obscurity as a member of the organization that moved to Phoenix after the 1996 season, the longtime captain has a career 368 goals and 898 points over the last 19 seasons. He has scored 20 goals or more a dozen times and is still going strong at age 38.

Shane Doan

Joffrey Lupol, Anaheim (2002)

The former Flyer has battled injuries his whole career but has still produced some quality seasons. He has scored 20 goals or more five times and is six shy of netting his 200th career marker, which will come in 2015-16.

Jeff Skinner, Carolina (2010)

The rookie of the year in 2010, Skinner has scored 30 goals twice in his career. He tailed 18 goal and 13 assists playing on an awful team this year. At the age of 25, the center is just entering the prime of his career and has a lot of potential.

Nazem Kadri, Toronto (2006)

The Maple Leafs are still waiting for the gifted center to regain the promise he showed during a breakout season of 18 goals and 26 assists in the lockout-shortened season in 2012-13. He's managed just 20 and 18 goal seasons the last two years. At 24 years old, Kadri is a projected 30-goal scorer.

Seventh heaven

Here are the last 20 picks to go No. 7 in the NHL Draft.

- 2014: Haydn Fleury, Carolina (RW)
- 2013: Darnell Nurse, Edmonton (D)
- 2012: Matt Dumba, Minnesota (D)
- 2011: Mark Scheifele, Winnipeg (Center)
- 2010: Jeff Skinner, Carolina (Center)
- 2009: Nazem Kadri, Toronto, (Center)
- 2008: Colin Wilson, Nashville (Center)
- 2007: Jakub Voracek, Columbus (RW)
- 2006: Kyle Okposo, NY Islanders, (RW)
- 2005: Jack Skille, Chicago (RW)
- 2004: Rostislav Olesz, Florida (Center)
- 2003: Ryan Suter, Nashville, (D)
- 2002: Joffrey Lupul, Anaheim (forward)
- 2001: Mike Komisarek, Montreal (D)
- 2000: Lars Jonsson, Bruins (D)
- 1999: Kris Beech Capitals (Center)
- 1998: Manny Malhotra, Rangers (Center)
- 1997: Paul Mara, Lightning (D)
- 1996: Erik Rasmussen, Sabres (Center)
- 1995: Shane Doan, Jets (Center)

By the numbers

21st

The Flyers averaged 2.58 goals per game in 2014-15, toward the bottom of the league at 21st.

27th

Philly's power play unit was the third best in the league, but its penalty kill was one of the worst in the NHL.

29th

The Flyers' record in shootouts was the second-worst in hockey at 3-11 last season.

24th

Though they contended for a playoff spot for a while, the Flyers were inconsistent all season, posting a minus-19 goal differential, the seventh worst in the league.

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As of Tuesday, the Flyers have eight draft picks in the June 27 Draft, with their first pick coming No. 7 overall.

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Temple golfer Matthews sets sights on major champ Spieth

Golf. Owls phenom Brandon Matthews wants to prove he has what it takes to compete on the PGA Tour someday soon.

Matthews credits his continued success, in part, to a regiment of strength and conditioning. / BEN SOLOMAN

When you go for a visit to the city-entrenched campus of Temple University, there's not much green space to be found. Between Beury Beach by the Bell Tower, Geasy Field behind the school's rec center and Columbia Field down Cecil B. Moore Avenue, there's about two city blocks of grass for students to hangout on or play sports on in any given day.

Yet, despite the campus' shortcomings in vegetation, one Temple junior, Brandon Matthews, has worked to become a master of the greens in his three-year career on the school's golf team. He was selected for the second-straight year to compete as an individual at the NCAA Men's Golf Championships on Monday to cap off a sensational season for the Owls.

"It felt great [to be selected]," Matthews said. "It feels good to know that all the time and work you put in during the year meant something. There's so many hours of preparation that go into every single day of my life. With school work, a personal life and golf, it's tough to juggle all those things. ... I can't say that I'd rather be anywhere else than Temple University with the people that are surrounding me."

Last season, Matthews became the first-ever Temple golfer to be selected to compete as an individual in the NCAA Men's Golf Championships, as well as the first to compete in the tournament since the Temple team competed in 1997. The Dupont native compiled a school-record 71.0 stroke per round average during the 2014-15 season while winning four tournament titles. He also tied the school record for career tournament titles, matching Geoffrey Sisk's mark of eight set back in 1986.

"I'm so thrilled with the opportunities Temple has given me," Matthews said. "To get to play in the NCAA Championships this year and last year is awesome."

In Matthews' most recent tournament win, he shot a one-over 71 on the final day of competition at the Princeton Invitational held at Merion Golf Club's East course. Merion, of course, was home to the 2013 U.S. Open, the same tournament for which he was selected as an alternate when he was a freshman. His score at Merion would've beaten golfers the likes of Rory McIlroy, Rickie Fowler and Tiger Woods who competed in the tournament and Matthews feels that tournament was a jumping off point for his golfing career.

"That started [my career] when I was selected as an alternate at the U.S. Open," Matthews said. "It gave me confidence and made me realize what level I was at. I knew I could play with those guys."

What's on the horizon in Matthews' career is not a secret, he wants to join the PGA Tour. But, Matthews knows how important it is at this stage to learn as much as he can before making that leap into the pros. He wants to come back for his senior year at Temple, under the tutelage of coach Brian Quinn in order to become the best that he can be. He wants to make an immediate impact as a pro such as 21-year-old, Jordan Spieth, who dominated the Masters last month with a record-tying 270 (-18) through four rounds.

"Jordan Spieth set a standard and that's a standard I have to surpass," Matthews said. "It gives me a goal that I can reach. It's all about setting goals and reaching them, that's what life is."

Quoted

"Hopefully, I helped put Temple golf on the map. It's such a great university with such a great coach, and beyond the team, it's helped me a lot with my goal of pursuing golf as a living." Brandon Matthews

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Cardinals (19-6)

The loss of Adam Wainwright for the year has apparently given the Cardinals some motivation as they have won seven games in a row and now are up 5.5 games in the NL Central. Michael Wacha will look to pick up the slack as he's already racked up four wins.

No. 2

Astros (18-8)

No one saw this start by the Astros coming. Houston won 10 straight before losing Monday to open a seven-game lead.

No. 3

Tigers (17-9)

Led by their offense, Detroit is leading the AL Central. Miguel Cabrera has the third-best average in the AL at .366.

No. 4

Dodgers (16-9)

The Dodgers have won seven of their last 10 and are 13-2 at home with a three-game division lead. Their plus-33 run differential is second in the NL.

No. 5

Royals (16-9)

Kansas City has lost two straight games but still has the best run differential in the game at plus-45.

No. 6

Yankees (16-10)

The Yankees have won seven of their last 10 games, including a three-game sweep of the Red Sox at Fenway.

No. 7

Mets (16-10)

The Mets lost seven of their last 10 but still hold a 3.5 game lead in the NL East, showing just how good of a start they had.

No. 8

Padres (14-13)

Aside from the Dodgers leading the way, the rest of the NL West is separated by just 2.5 games. The Padres have scored the most runs in baseball (121).

No. 9

Rays (14-12)

Led by their pitching staff, the Rays have made a move up the AL East standings by winning six of their last 10 games.

No. 10

Twins (14-12)

The Twins came out of nowhere this past week as they have won five straight and eight of 10 games.

No. 11

Cubs (13-11)

Despite Jon Lester picking up his first win of the year this past week, the Cubs have lost three games in a row.

No. 12

Giants (13-13)

The defending champs have gotten better after a slow start, but the offense still can't get anything going, scoring 81 runs, the second-fewest in the NL.

No. 13

Nationals (13-14)

As was expected, the Nationals have started to make their run up the standings, winning three straight games.

No. 14

Blue Jays (13-14)

The issue for Toronto is, for as good as their offense is, their pitching is just as bad. They are averaging just under 5.5 runs a game.

MLB. Phillies look to finish off Braves, get Utley out of slump

Chase Utley / GETTY IMAGES

Is Chase Utley pressing?

He is certainly hitting the ball hard, but his career-worst slump is bringing his batting average closer and closer to the .100 mark — not a place any hitter wants to be.

With his average at .103 before the start of Tuesday night's game against the Braves, even a 10-for-10 burst wouldn't get Utley over the Mendoza line this late in the season.

Ryne Sandberg and the Phillies hope he'll follow in the footsteps of fellow Phillies veteran Ryan Howard, who seems to be on the other side of his own slump.

Righty Mike Foltynewicz (1-0, 3.60) will start for the Braves in Wednesday's finale, a 23-year-old who has not faced Phillies hitters very much. Utley does have a hit in his only at bat against the Atlanta hurler. The Phillies will counter with Jerome Williams (1-2, 4.08 ERA) in the 7 p.m. start (on CSN).

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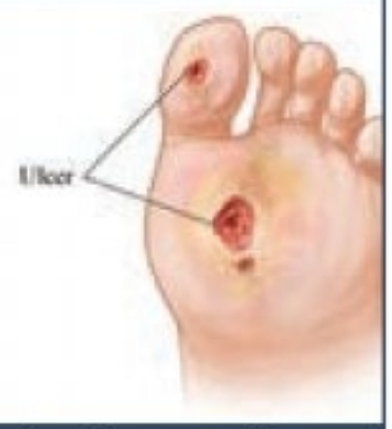

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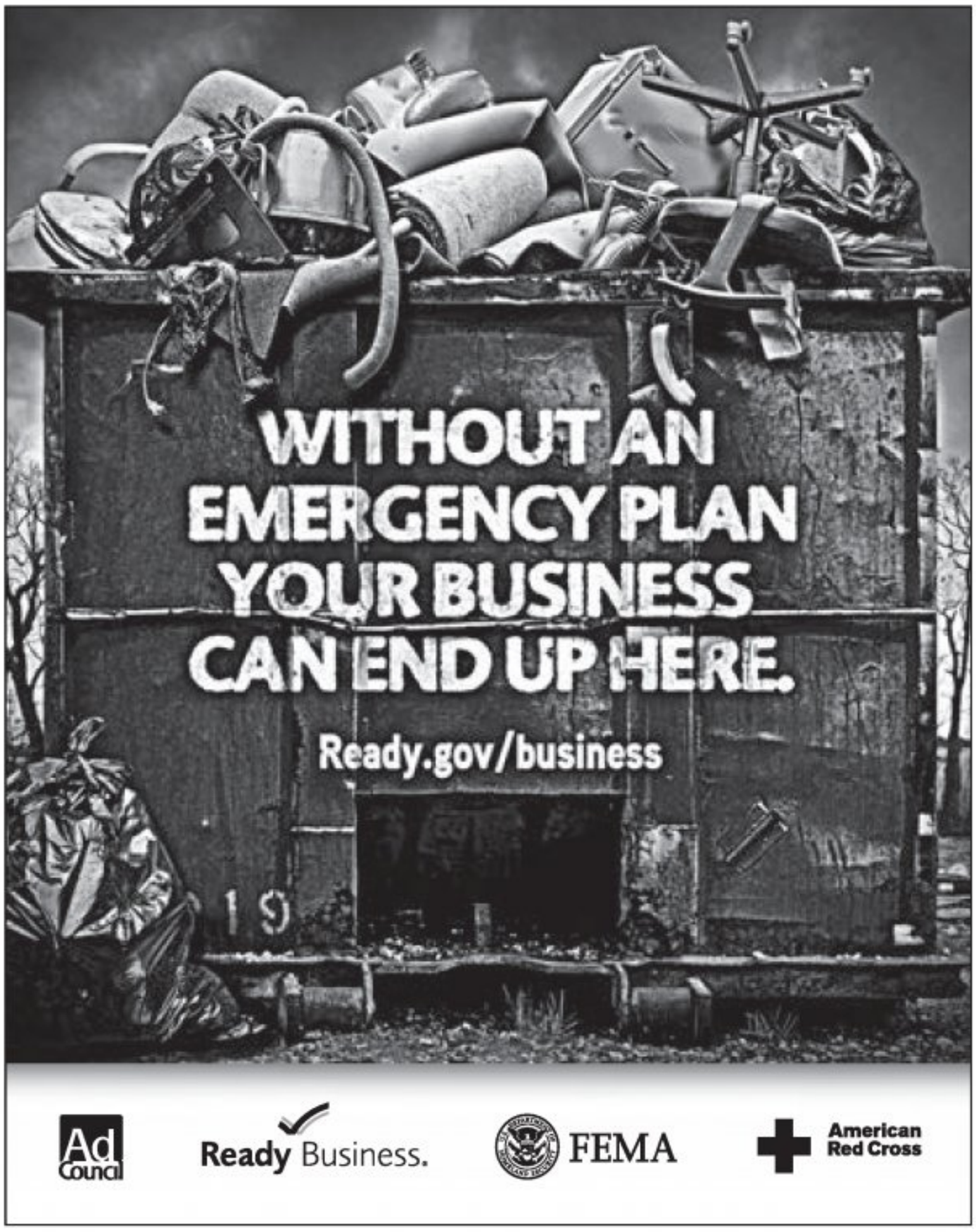

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